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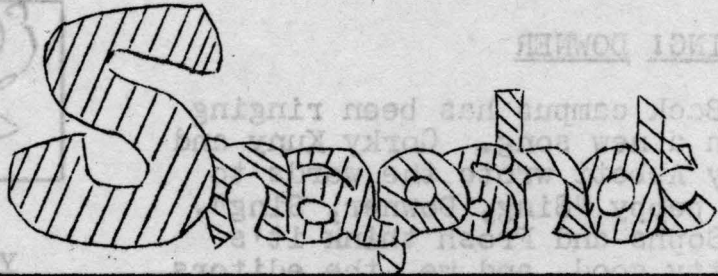
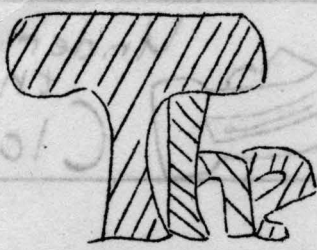
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### AUCTION PLANNED FOR BOND DRIVE

"Have you anything to sell? Have you money to spend? Do you want to have some fun? Then (here it comes) don't miss Downer's bond drive and auction this Friday," exclaims Phyl Hoppe, war activities chairman.

Different from an ordinary auction, this event permits students and faculty members to sell to the highest bidder not only books, clothes, furniture, or personal items, but also services.

Suggestions have been going around as to what would be good services. Polishing shoes, mending stockings, brushing clothes, or making those eight pigtails for some freshman have been listed.

But it's "thumbs down" on any bids to do academic work---term papers, notebooks, art projects and such.

Naturally, everything to be auctioned will be donated so that the money bid can be invested in bonds and stamps.

"It's a sort of 'two for one' plan, too," reminds Phyl. "For example, for a dollar you'll probably be able to get not only four quarter stamps, but also someone's delicious chocolate cake. Now, do you see why you shouldn't miss it?"

### "IT'S" COMING SATURDAY NIGHT

The freshmen won't have pig-tails for IT; the sophs must revert to their sweet-toned voices for IT; the juniors are looking for men for IT; and the seniors want to make IT the best Downer has ever seen.

At 8:30 on Saturday, Helen Williams and Bill Sroka at the head of the receiving line will begin to greet Downerites and their dates as the music of Al George and his orchestra fills the ballroom of the Wisconsin Club. Also in the receiving line will be Miss Briggs, Miss Cameron, and Miss Funk.

"The court of honor is wearing white formals, purple gloves, and violet corsages", reports Queen Helen. "There will be a coronation ceremony in place of a grand march."

IT will be "a wonderful evening". IT will be "a May memory". IT will be the Royal Senior Prom.

### MISS GROOM'S CLASS DISPLAYS WORKS

Now in Chapman is the annual exhibition of the seventeen painters in Miss Groom's Tuesday class.

Phyl Hoppe, the only undergraduate in the class, is exhibiting three of her works. More of her paintings will be seen in the Art departments annual exhibit from May 28 through commencement.

Miss Chase, a newcomer to the class this year, also has three water colors in the exhibition.

Another exhibitor is Mrs. Fern Schaper, Pat's mother. Her still life is one of those on the landing in the gallery.

Painters Eileen Dundon, Gertrude Urich, Mildred Lent and Helen Greve have each shown their works in the Wisconsin gallery of the Art Institute.

The other exhibitors are Delphine Biebler, Charlotte Bossert, Louise Gezelschap, Helene Geyer Gute, Florence Gute, Jerry Hanlon, Amanda Henschel, Lee Miller, Prudence Tieche, and Cecil Elmore.

The paintings will remain in the library until May 15.



SOME GO TO THE PROM---SOME DON'T



## SING! DOWNER

Back campus has been ringing with a new song. Corky Kuny and Abby Abbott wrote the words to the peppy "Sing, Downer, Sing".

Sophs and Frosh think it's pretty good, and we, the editors, would like the whole school to know it too.

We'll all be singing it in the halls and smoker, so learn the words and sing along....Let's let those rafters ring!

Chorus.

I tell you sing, Downer, sing,  
Sing, Downer, sing----  
And let those rafters ring,  
Downer, sing, sing, sing!

1. When first I came to Downer  
I was green as green could be,  
But now I know what a good time  
is  
With a life so gay and free.
2. And when I sit in future years  
With a daughter on my knee,  
I'll teach her that the alpha-  
bet  
Begins with M.D.C.
3. And when I sit in future years  
With a son upon my knee,  
I'll teach him that the only  
girls  
Are the girls at M.D.C.

## DOWNER GIRL REVIEWS FASHIONS

The week before last, Jan Roe spent from Monday to Thursday in St. Louis, the Junior Fashion center of the country.

She was one of eighteen girls from different cities that made up the Junior Board of Review. Next year's fall styles passed before them as they wrote their opinion of each dress modeled.

"There were a few high school and career girls," says Jan, "but most of us were from colleges."

Staying at the Park Plaza hotel, the girls shared two suites.

"Two mornings we had breakfast in bed," continues Jan. "I've never lived in such luxury in my life!"

No sweaters and skirts were modeled, only one and two piece dresses.

"There is very little shoulder padding in the new styles, and few have shoulder seams. It makes a soft shoulder line," explains Jan. "I noticed a gay-ninety influence in the embroidery and small bustles which are being featured."

Their days were quite thoroughly planned for them. Jan went through the factory, and saw the clothes being made. She met the fashion editors of Good Housekeeping, Vogue, Charm, and Glamour. She met the mayor of St.



Yesterday the announcement was made of the engagement of Connie Keyes to Sgt. Les Larson, U.S.M.C.

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Aud Metz is now wearing a diamond from Pvt. Ray Shank, a medical student at Loyola University.

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Last Thursday, Barb Kroscher received an engagement ring from A/7 Eugene Lewis.

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Come to hear Freshmen at the Informal Redaing hour tonight.

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Next Thursday at the final meeting of the Home Ec club for this year, the seniors will be formally initiated into the American Home Economics Association. Kay Miller will also report on the province meeting of the association.

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There are witnesses who will testify to the following:

During the Phi Beta Kappa initiation last Tuesday, Miss Hadley rose, went over to one of the west windows in Greene, and tried to CLOSE it!---but it stuck.

(Miss Murphy---"I think you can turn off the heat, now."---and others who are familiar with room 14 will be particularly interested in this item.

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Orchestra met last week, and elected their next year's officers. President will be Edythe Klug, secretary-treasurer, Betty Domrose, and librarian, Audrey Wacker.

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Still remembered at Downer is Dorothy Reinke of the class of '42 who earned her Master's degree at the University of Chicago in 1943. A week ago Pres. Robert M. Hutchins announced that she was one of 94 graduate students from 31 states, Washington, D. C., Canada, and China awarded fellowships to the University of Chicago.

Dorothy, one of Downer's first Phi Beta Kappa, will work toward a doctor of philosophy degree in Latin language and literature.

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Next year's O.T. club officers are Marge MacMichael, president, Marge McKillip, vice-president, Barb Loomis, secretary, and Helen Gedney, treasurer.

Louis.

"I wore heels for four days straight," laughs Jan. "My feet were about ready to fall off -- but it certainly was some experience!"